



Republic of the Philippines  
**REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE**  
Central Visayas Region

RSC Resolution No. 7  
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**REQUESTING THE CENTRAL VISAYAS REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT  
COUNCIL TO ENJOIN ALL REGIONAL LINE AGENCIES, LOCAL  
GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs) AND PRIVATE SECTOR ORGANIZATIONS  
TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO THE PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY IN  
THE CONDUCT OF THE 2020 CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING**

**WHEREAS**, Batas Pambansa Blg. 72 provides for the taking of an integrated census every ten (10) years beginning in 1980;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act (RA) No. 10625, also known as the Philippine Statistical Act of 2013, states that the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) shall prepare and conduct periodic censuses on population, housing, and other sectors of the economy;

**WHEREAS**, Executive Order No. 352 – “Designation of Statistical Activities that will Generate Critical Data for Decision-Making of the Government and the Private Sector” stipulates the conduct a census of population and housing every ten (10) years primarily to come up with population figures at the national down to barangay levels;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to these legal mandates, the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH) will be conducted in May 2020, with 01 May as census reference date;

**WHEREAS**, the 2020 World Population and Housing Census Programme, adopted by the United Nations Economic and Social Council, recognizes population and housing censuses as “primary sources of data needed for formulating, implementing and monitoring policies and programmes aimed at inclusive socioeconomic development and environmental sustainability” and “for supplying disaggregated data needed for the measurement of progress of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;”

**WHEREAS**, the CPH 2020 will be a nationwide government undertaking that involves the collection, compilation, evaluation, analysis, publication and dissemination of data on population count, demographic and socio-economic characteristics of the population, housing characteristics, and barangay characteristics in each barangay, city/municipality, province and region in the country;

**WHEREAS**, the Census also aims to provide government executives, policymakers, and planners with population and housing data on which to base their social and economic development plans, policies and programs;

**WHEREAS**, as in previous censuses, the assistance to be provided by other government agencies will be instrumental to the success of the CPH 2020;



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**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, to request the Central Visayas Regional Development Council to enjoin all Regional Line Agencies, Local Government Units and Private Sector Organizations to provide assistance to the Philippine Statistics Authority in the conduct of the 2020 Census of Population and Housing in Central Visayas, as enumerated in Annex A;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that the assistance shall not be limited to those identified in Annex A and that such assistance be on a cost-sharing basis as may be deemed appropriate by the parties concerned;

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that the agencies in Central Visayas be enjoined:

- to issue directives to all their units and personnel, at all geographic/administrative levels, to cooperate in the CPH 2020 by: (1) allowing Census enumerators to interview them, and (2) providing truthful and complete answers to the questions; and
- not to conduct extensive data collection activities that will coincide with the conduct of CPH 2020.

Approved this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 2019 in Cebu City.

Certified Correct:

  
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RSC Secretary

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Annex A

**KIND OF ASSISTANCE REQUESTED FROM  
 GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR/  
 ORGANIZATIONS IN CENTRAL VISAYAS**

Agency/Office	Kind of Assistance
Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Use of facilities for the training of census enumerators</li> </ul>
Department of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Assignment of public-school teachers as census enumerators</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Inclusion of lectures on census data uses for grade schools and high schools</li> <li>○ Use of available classrooms for the training of census enumerators and supervisors</li> </ul>
Civil Service Commission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Commission on Elections	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Commission on Higher Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Commission on Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive with focus on utilization of census data</li> </ul>
Congressional Policy and Budget Research Department	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ensure the proper and timely release of census appropriations</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Agrarian Reform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Use of land transport facilities in transporting census personnel and materials</li> <li>○ Use of communication facilities</li> </ul>
Department of Agriculture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use of facilities for the training of census enumerators and supervisors</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Use of communication facilities</li> </ul>
Department of Budget and Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ensure the proper and timely release of census appropriations</li> <li>○ Realignment of census funds, whenever necessary</li> </ul>
Department of Environment and Natural Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Delineation of barangay boundaries, in cooperation with the Local Government Units (LGUs), during the mapping operations.</li> <li>○ Use of land transport facilities in transporting census personnel and materials</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>



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Department of Finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Use of transportation and communication facilities</li> </ul>
Department of Foreign Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Enumeration of Filipinos employed in embassies, consulates and missions abroad</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive among Filipinos overseas</li> </ul>
Department of Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Provision of first-aid medicines for training and enumeration</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Information and Communications Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use of communication facilities for monitoring and reporting of census activities</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Interior and Local Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Issue directive to governors and mayors to convene the Local Census Coordinating Boards and to Association of Barangay Chairman (9ABC), League of Governors, and League of Mayors including other local officials to support the census operations</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Use of communication facilities for monitoring and reporting of census activities</li> <li>○ Use of facilities for the training of census enumerators and supervisors</li> <li>○ Use of land transportation facilities in transporting census personnel and materials</li> </ul>
Department of Labor and Employment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use of transportation and communication facilities</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of National Defense	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Issue directive to all its units/personnel to support the census operations by allowing enumerators to conduct interviews</li> <li>○ Use of land, air and water transport facilities in transporting census personnel and materials</li> <li>○ Facilitate enumeration in military camps, including institutional population in military camps</li> <li>○ Security on the peace and order conditions</li> <li>○ Advice on the peace and order conditions</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>



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Department of Public Works and Highways	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use of land transport facilities in transporting census personnel and materials</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Science and Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Social Welfare and Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Issue directive to all its units/welfare institutions and personnel to support the census operations by allowing enumerators to conduct interviews</li> <li>○ Enumeration in the calamity-affected areas, resettlements/evacuation areas, and areas with numerous homeless population</li> <li>○ Use of transportation and communication facilities</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Trade and Industry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Department of Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use of transportation facilities for census activities</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Government Service Insurance System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
National Commission on Indigenous Peoples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive in indigenous peoples (IP) areas</li> <li>○ Facilitate enumeration on IP areas</li> </ul>
Local Government Units	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Use of transportation facilities for census activities</li> <li>○ Use of facilities for the training of census enumerators and supervisors</li> </ul>
National Council on Disability Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> <li>○ Facilitate enumeration in institutions where there are persons with disability</li> </ul>
National Economic and Development Authority	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use of facilities for the training of census enumerators and supervisors</li> <li>○ Use of transport facilities in transporting census personnel and materials</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive through announcement to Regional Development Councils (RDCs), Provincial Development Councils (PDCs) and Municipal Development Councils (MDCs)</li> </ul>



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National Commission of Muslim Filipinos	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Facilitate enumeration of Muslim groups</li> <li>○ Publicity and information drive among Muslims groups</li> </ul>
National Telecommunications Commission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive through the development of television plugs (e.g. local cable TV networks)</li> </ul>
Philippine Information Agency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive through the development of radio/television plugs and print ads</li> </ul>
Philippine Statistical Research and Training Institute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Private Sector/Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive especially to the subdivisions and condominiums residents and home owners associations officials</li> </ul>
Social Security System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
Unit of Local Authorities of the Philippines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>
University of the Philippines, College of Cebu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Publicity and information drive</li> </ul>